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**GMP # 13**

TO: District Directors  
Environmental Health Managers  
Environmental Health Project Managers

FROM: Gary L. Hagy, Assistant Director  
Division of Onsite Sewage and Water

Subject: Approval of TBA, Inc. Pipe

Attached is a letter to Mr. Bill Wright of TBA, Inc. regarding approval of pipe manufactured by TBA. Please note the approved sizes and uses of each pipe.

Please see that all Environmental Health Specialists working in the onsite sewage program receive a copy of this GMP. Also place a copy of this GMP in your GMP manual and enter it into your index.

If you have any questions about this memo or the attached letter, please call me at (804) 786-1750.

Attachment

pc: Division of Onsite Sewage and Water Services

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**Sewage - Onsite - Product Approval**

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Mr. Bill Wright  
TBA, Inc.  
6700 Enterprise Drive  
Louisville, Kentucky 40214

Dear Mr. Wright:

We have reviewed the products listed below for compliance with the Sewage Handling and Disposal Regulations. The list includes the type of pipe, the markings, color, and other characteristics of the individual pipes. These pipes are manufactured by TBA, Inc.

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| Pipe:     | 3", 4", 6" Diameter smooth PVC sewer and drain pipe  |
| Markings: | 3" (or 4" or 6") TBA, INC. PVC SEWER & DRAIN<br>2500# CRUSH MS SUPER CRUSH ASTM 2729 PERFORMANCE<br>TESTED |
| Color:    | White or Green   |
| Other:    | Available in either solid or perforated with<br>three holes within a 130 degree arc.                       |
| Pipe:     | 3", 4" Diameter CO-X smooth HDPE sewer and drain pipe  |
| Markings: | 3" (or 4") TBA, INC. CO-X HDPE SEWER & DRAIN<br>2500# CRUSH MS SDR 38 ASTM D3350 PERFORMANCE<br>TESTED     |
| Color:    | White only   |
| Other:    | Available in either solid or perforated with<br>three holes within a 130 degree arc.                       |

The four inch diameter solid pipe versions of the above products are approved for use under the Sewage Handling and Disposal Regulations as header lines. The three inch, four inch, and six inch diameter versions of solid pipe are approved for use as gravity conveyance lines.

The four inch perforated versions for each of the above pipes are approved for use as gravity percolation lines. A copy of this letter is being sent to all local health departments for their information.

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Please note that this approval does not permit the mixing of materials with solvent welded joints. The PVC pipe cannot be solvent welded to the HDPE pipe since there is no solvent that is compatible with both. However, other approved methods of joining the pipes may be used.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (804) 786-1750.

Sincerely,

Gary L. Hagy  
Assistant Director  
Division of Onsite Sewage  
and Water Services

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District Directors  
Environmental Health Project Managers  
Environmental Health Managers  
Division of Onsite Sewage and Water Services Staff

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